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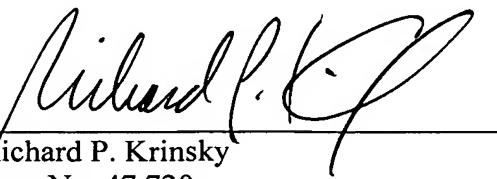
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V. An English Translation of the International Application PCT/EP03/014724, including 9 sheets of 9 Figures (21 pages).



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